

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

v.

ELECTROLUX HOME PRODUCTS,

Defendant.

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No. 5:18-00699

ORDER

AND NOW, this 3rd day of August, 2018, upon consideration of Defendant's Motion to Dismiss or, in the Alternative, to Sever and Dismiss, ECF No. 9, it is **ORDERED** that Defendant's Motion, ECF No. 9, is **GRANTED in part**, as follows:

1. Defendant's Motion to Dismiss for lack of personal jurisdiction is **DENIED**;
2. Defendant's Motion to Sever Plaintiff's claims is **GRANTED**, such that Plaintiff's individual claims, as identified in the Appendix to the Complaint, are **SEVERED** into eighty-six individual actions;
3. As a result of the severance, the following claims, as identified in the Appendix to the Complaint are **DISMISSED** without prejudice for lack of subject matter jurisdiction: a, b, c, d, f, g, h, k, m, n, o, r, u, w, x, y, z, aa, cc, dd, ee, gg, hh, jj, ll, mm, nn, oo, pp, qq, rr, ss, tt, vv, xx, yy, zz, aaa, bbb, ccc, ddd, eee, fff, ggg, hhh, jjj, kkk, lll, mmm, nnn, ooo, ppp, qqq, rrr, sss, ttt, vvv, yyy, aaaa, cccc, eeee, ffff, gggg, hhhh.

4. The following claims, as identified in the Appendix to the Complaint, are

TRANSFERRED to the following jurisdictions:

- i. Claim “e” is transferred to the Central District of California.
- ii. Claims “i” and “j” are transferred to the Middle District of Florida.
- iii. Claims “p, q, t,” and “v” are transferred to the Northern District of Georgia.
- iv. Claims “l” and “s” are transferred to the Southern District of Georgia.
- v. Claim “bb” is transferred to the Northern District of Illinois.
- vi. Claim “ff” is transferred to the Northern District of Iowa.
- vii. Claims “ii” and “kk” are transferred to the District of Maryland.
- viii. Claims “uu” and “ww” are transferred to the Eastern District of Michigan.
- ix. Claim “iii” is transferred to the Eastern District of New York.
- x. Claim “uuu” is transferred to the Middle District of Pennsylvania.
- xi. Claim “zzz” is transferred to the Western District of Pennsylvania.
- xii. Claim “ddd” is transferred to the Western District of Virginia.

5. The Court retains jurisdiction over claims “www,” “xxx,” and “bbbb,” and **DIRECTS** Plaintiff to file amended complaints for these claims no later than **August 17, 2018**.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Joseph F. Leeson, Jr.

JOSEPH F. LEESON, JR.

United States District Court